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CHAPTER 462

AN ACT to amend 174.07 (4) of the statutes, relating to the licensing of dogs by the police force in all cities or villages.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

174.07 (4) of the statutes is amended to read:

174.07 (4) In cities of the first, second and third class, and in villages located in counties having a population of 500,000 or more and having a police department, the duties imposed by ss. 174.05 to 174.12 * * * upon local assessors shall, *and in other cities and villages by action of the governing body may*, be performed by the police force under the direction of the chief of police. In every such city and * * * village, a license shall be necessary for the keeping of any dog over 6 months of age, and in every such city or * * * village the chief of police and the police force shall on February 1 of each year and from time to time thereafter check the dogs therein and cause to be disposed of as provided by law all unlicensed dogs which are required to be licensed; and all moneys received or collected by any policeman in the enforcement of said law shall be by him paid to the city or village treasurer and by the treasurer credited to the police pension fund, if there is such police pension fund.

Approved July 21, 1955.